## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/849,251

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Title : Temperature Sensing Device for Selectively Measuring

Temperature at Desired Locations Along an Intravenous

Fluid Line

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The applicant herewith petitions the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to extend the time for reply to the Office action dated August 10, 2007 for three month(s) from November 10, 2007 to February 10, 2008. Since February 10, 2008 falls on a Sunday, the effective due date is Monday, February 11, 2008.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

Patent Extension of Time Fees

	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1); \$120/\$60)
	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2); \$460/\$230)
$\boxtimes$	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3); \$1050/\$525)
	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4); \$1640/\$820)
	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5); \$2230/\$1115)

**Total Fee Due**: \$525.00. Credit card payment has been submitted concurrently with the filing of this transmittal.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees that may be required for the above-identified application, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **05-0460**.

Dated: February 11, 2008 Respectfully submitted by:

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